American Government

U.S. Constitution

Article One Outline and notes

Article One focuses on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ branch of the U.S. Government.

What is the main function of the legislative branch?

Members of the House of Representatives are elected to a term that last for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ years.

To be elected to Congress, a person must meet the following qualifications:

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|  | House of Representatives | Senate |
| Minimum age |  |  |
| Citizenship requirements |  |  |
| Term of office (and how many) |  |  |
| Number of members and how membership is based |  |  |
| Head of the chamber |  |  |

Section Two of Article One discusses the figuring of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for each state in relationship to property, etc. In this capacity, it originally made legal acknowledgement and acceptance of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ through the 3/5th’s compromise.

Senators were originally chosen by:

The President of the Senate is also the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

The “jury” in an impeachment is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Congress must meet at least \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ every year. When they meet, this is known as a session.

The official documentation and transcript of meetings of Congress is known as the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Salary: The Speaker of the House makes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ yearly.

House Majority and Minority Leaders make \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ yearly.

General members of Congress make \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ yearly.

Section 9

All bills that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ must begin in the House of Representatives.

Key powers and responsibilities of the Congress:

They have the power to collect \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on the credit of the United States.

Regulate \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with other nations.

Coin money and punish \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and raise a military.

Create lower \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Establish a Post Office.